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SUBJECT: BRAZILIAN SHRIMP FISHERY

1. THE NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE (NMFS), NOAA, COMMERCE HAS NOTED AN ARTICLE IN THE BOLETIM DO MERCADO PESQUEIRO ISSUED BY THE UNDP/FAO PROGRAMA DE PESQUISA E DESENVOLVIMENTO PESQUEIRO DO BRASIL WHICH STATES THAT THE SUPERINTENDENCIA DO DESENVOLVIMENTO DA AMAZONIA (SUDAM) IS OR PLANS TO CARRY OUT A PROJECT "FOR THE CONTROL OF THE EXPLOITATION OF THE FISHERIES RESOURCES OF THE CONTINENTAL SHELF." THE ARTICLE ADDED THAT THE PROJECT, "... COULD IMPOSE A LIMITATION OF 200 FOREIGN SHRIMP BOATS PERMITTED TO OPERATE IN THE AREA." A COPY OF THE ARTICLE HAS BEEN SENT TO THE EMBASSY UNDER SEPARATE COVER.

2. DUE TO THE INVOLVEMENT OF AMERICAN FISHERMEN IN THE UNCLASSIFIED

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BRAZILIAN SHRIMP FISHERY, NMFS WOULD APPRECIATE THE

FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

A. SCOPE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE SUDAM PROGRAM.

B. PRESENT STATUS OF THE PROGRAM.

C. GEOGRAPHIC AREA COVERED BY THE PROGRAM.

D. ROLE OF SUDAM WITH REGARDS TO FISHERIES. IF READILY AVAILABLE, NMFS WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE INFORMATION ON ANY FISHERIES ROLE OF THE SUPERINTERDENCIA DO DESENVOLVIMENTO DO NORDESTE (SUDENE).

E. RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, OF SUDAM PROGRAMS TO THE U.S.- BRAZILIAN SHRIMPING AGREEMENT.

3. NMFS WOULD APPRECIATE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ONLY IF THE REPORTED SUDAM PROGRAM DOES NOT RELATE TO THE U.S. - BRAZILIAN SHRIMP AGREEMENT AREA:

A. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF FOREIGN VESSELS CURRENTLY FISHING IN THE SUDAM AREA, BY COUNTRY.

B. EXTENT OF THE SHRIMP RESOURCE IN THE AREA. KISSINGER

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